

**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR REAPPOINTMENT  
OF BANKRUPTCY JUDGE EDWARD ELLINGTON**

The current 14-year term of U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Edward Ellington of the Southern District of Mississippi will expire January 14, 2014. The U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit is considering whether to reappoint Judge Ellington to a new 14-year term. Upon reappointment, Judge Ellington would continue to exercise all jurisdiction permitted a bankruptcy judge under federal law. Members of the bar and the public are invited and requested to submit comments for consideration by the court before it decides whether to reappoint Judge Ellington to a new term. All comments will be kept CONFIDENTIAL and should be directed to Mr. Gregory A. Nussel, Circuit Executive, 600 Camp Street, Room 100, New Orleans, LA 70130. Comments must be received by **Friday, March 1, 2013**.